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SUBJECT: CONCERN ABOUT EZEKIEL MPHAHLELE

1. DEPARTMENT HAS RECEIVED FOLLOWING TELEGRAM FROM
VARTAN GREGORIAN, DEAN OF THE FACULTY OF ARTS AND
SCIENCES, UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA, PHILADELPHIA.

2. QUOTE ON BEHALF OF MY COLLEAGUES IN THE EMGLISH DEPART-
MENT AND THE FACULTY OF ARTS AND SCIENCES I EXPRESS OUR
EXTREME CONCERN OVER THE SECURITY AND WELL-BEING OF
EZEKIEL MPHAHLELE, PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH AT THE UNIVER-
SITY OF PENNSYLVANIA AND DISTINGUISHED SOUTH AFRICAN
NOVELIST ON LEAVE FROM THE UNIVERSITY TO TEACH AT THE
UNIVERSITY OF THE NORTH IN TRANSVAAL. NE WOULD APPRECIATE
YOUR ACTIVE INTEREST ON BEHALF OF OUR ESTEEMED COLLEAGUE.
END QUOTE.

3. IF EMBASSY AWARE OF MPHAHLELE'S WELL-BEING, PLEASE
ADVISE SO THAT WE MAY INFORM GREGORIAN. VANCE

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